DISTRICT REPORTS.

8. Markets how supplied.

9. Progress of agricultural operations, state of standing crops, prospects and probable outturn of harvests, serious damage done to crops by insects or other natural calamities.

10. Prospects of season, tracts in which the rainfall has been insufficient, areas affected by scarcity, number of people under relief, and state of food stocks.

11. Public health.

12. Remarks as to the condition of agricultural stock, failure of pasturage of fodder, etc.

BANGALORE CIVIL AND MILITARY STATION.

	Average for the past five years of the corresponding week.	*Current.*	
Prices of food grains—Rice ...	7·41	7·47	Quantity per rupee by the standard seer of 80 tolas.
Ragi ...	13·61	14·44	
Rangoon rice, 2nd sort, not available.			

Agricultural operations.—Nat ragi is under harvest.

State of standing crops.—Fair, but more rain is wanted. Cattle are in good condition. Water and fodder are sufficient.

BANGALORE CITY AND TALUKS.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Progress of agricultural operations.*—Wet lands are being ploughed in parts of the Magadi Taluk. Weeding and transplanting operations in wet lands are going on in parts of the Magadi, Anekal and Devanhalli Taluks. And reaping of ragi crop has commenced in parts of the Kankanhalli and Anekal Taluks.

Standing crops.—Ragi, avare, togari, sugar cane, paddy, hutchellu, horse gram, castor and other minor crops are reported to be in good condition. But dry crops in almost all the taluks stand in need of two or three showers of rain.

Crops sown.—Nil.

Estimated outturn of harvests.—Ragi in parts of the Anekal Taluk, yield 12 annas.

10. Prospects of the season are generally good, but rain is wanted for dry crops throughout the district. Food stuffs are sufficiently available. Labour is available to the cooly classes.

11. Except for plague prevailing all over the district, except the Closepet Sub-Taluk, public health is generally good.

12. Cattle are reported to be healthy in all the taluks. Water, green pasture and fodder are available.

KOLAR.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Ploughing fields for Vaisakhi paddy cultivation in the Sidlaghatta Taluk and weeding in wet lands in the Srinivaspur Taluk and the Gudibanda Sub-Taluk are going on.

Standing crops are reported to be in good condition.

Crops sown.—*Muskin jola* in the Bowringpet and Goribidnur Taluks.

Crops harvested and their yield.—Samé in parts of the Kolar, Sidlaghatta and Bagepalli Taluks and the Gudibanda Sub-Taluk, yield from 6 to 8 annas; punaji paddy in the Chikballapur Taluk, yield from 8 to 12 annas; and gidda ragi in the Goribidnur Taluk, yield from 6 to 10 annas.

10. Prospects of the season are good, but, it is reported, that rain is still needed. Labour is available to the cooly classes.

11. Except for plague in parts of the Kolar, Chintamani, Sidlaghatta and Malur Taluks, public health is generally good.

12. Except for "Chappe roga" prevailing in parts of the Kolar, Bagepalli and Srinivaspur Taluks, cattle are generally healthy. Pasture and fodder are sufficient.

TUMKUR.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *State of standing crops.*—Their condition is good in the Maddagiri and Kunigal Taluks and fair in the Tumkur, Chiknayakanhalli, Gubbi, Tiptur and Pavagada Taluks, the Sub-Taluks of Koratagere and Turuvekere and parts of the Sira Taluk. In other parts of the Sira Taluk, it is reported that crops are fading.

Crops sown.—Jola in the Maddagiri, Chiknayakanhalli, Sira and Tiptur Taluks; Bengal gram in the Chiknayakanhalli, Gubbi and Tiptur Taluks; horse gram in the Pavagada and Kunigal Taluks and coriander in the Gubbi and Tiptur Taluks.

Crops harvested.—Sugar cane in the Gubbi and Kunigal Taluks and the Turuvekere Sub-Taluk; and nat ragi in the Maddagiri and Pavagada Taluks and parts of the Sira Taluk.

10. Prospects of the season are hopeful. No rain throughout the district. Rain is wanted in all parts of the district. Food stuffs are available.

11. Except for plague in parts of the Tumkur, Gubbi, Chiknayakanhalli, Tiptur and Kunigal Taluks and parts of the Turuvekere Sub-Taluk, public health is generally good.

12. It is reported that "Chappe roga" is prevailing in parts of the Tumkur, Sira and Pavagada Taluks and that thirty-eight cattle were inoculated for "Chappe roga" ("Black quarter") in the Gubbi Taluk. Water and fodder are available throughout the district.

MYSORE.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *State of standing crops* is reported to be good in almost all the taluks and fair in the Heggaddevankote Taluk. But it is stated that the Amildars of the Chamrajnagar, Hunsur and Gundlupet Taluks report that want of rain is felt for the standing crops in their taluks.

Crops sown.—Bengal gram in parts of the Heggaddevankote, Malvalli and Nagamangala Taluks.

Crops harvested.—Ragi in parts of the T.-Narsipur Taluk.

10. Prospects of the season are good. Food stuffs are available.

11. Except for plague in parts of the Mysore, Chamrajnagar, Seringapatam, Yedatore, Gundlupet, Nanjangud and Nagamangala Taluks and the French Rocks Sub-Taluk, public health is generally good.

12. Except for "Chappe roga" in parts of Mysore Taluk, cattle are reported to be healthy. Water and fodder are available.

HASSAN.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *State of standing crops.*—The following are reported to be in good condition:—

In the Hassan Taluk—Ragi, paddy, sugar cane, horse gram and togari.
" Manjarabad Taluk—Barawadi paddy and ragi.
" Arkalgud Taluk—Paddy, togari avare and horse gram.
" Belur Taluk—Sugar cane, paddy and dod ragi.
" Channarayapatna Taluk—Ragi, paddy, sugar cane, avare, togari, chillies and horse gram.
" Arsikere Taluk—Ragi, avare, horse gram, castor, chillies and paddy.
" Hole-Narsipur Taluk—Paddy, ragi, sugar cane, horse gram, togari, avare, castor chillies and tobacco.
" Alur Sub-Taluk—Paddy, horse gram and sugar cane.

Crops harvested.—Ragi in the Manjarabad Taluk and sugar cane in the Channarayapatna Taluk are being harvested.

10. Prospects of the season are generally good. But more rain is reported to be required for the standing crops in parts of the Channarayapatna and Arsikere Taluks.

11. Except for plague in parts of the Hassan, Arsikere and Channarayapatna Taluks and the Alur Sub-Taluk, public health is generally good.

12. Cattle are generally healthy. Water and fodder are available.

SHIMOGA.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Weeding in paddy fields is in progress in the Sagar Taluk.

Standing crops.—The following are reported to be in good condition:—
Paddy and sugar cane in all the taluks; chillies in the Sorab and Shimoga Taluks; jola in the Honnali Taluk; horse gram in the Shikarpur and Sorab Taluks; ragi in the Shimoga, Channagiri, Honnali, Shikarpur and Sorab Taluks and arecanut in the Sorab, Sagar, Nagar and Tirthahalli Taluks and the Kumsi Sub-Taluk.

Crops sown.—Bengal gram in Shimoga and Channagiri and wheat and jola in the Honnali Taluk.

Crops harvested.—Ragi in the Shimoga, Channagiri, Honnali and Shikarpur Taluks and arecanut in the Sorab, Sagar, Nagar and Tirthahalli Taluks.

Damage done to crops:—
Insects are doing damage to crops in parts of the Honnali and Shikarpur Taluks.

10. Prospects of the season are good. Rain is said to be wanted in the Sagar Taluk. Food stuffs are available.

11. Except for plague prevailing in parts of the Shimoga, Channagiri and Honnali Taluks, public health is good.

12. Cattle are healthy, except in parts of the Sagar Taluk. Water and fodder are available.

KADUR.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Lands are being ploughed in parts of the Kadur Taluk for cultivating *besige jola* and Bengal gram.

Standing crops.—The following are reported to be in good condition:—
In Chikmagalur—Paddy, ragi, sugar cane, avare, castor, togari, coffee and chillies.
In Kadur—Paddy, ragi, avare, sugar cane, togari, navane, samé, jola, coriander, castor, wheat and chillies.
In Tarikere—Paddy, ragi, jola, samé, castor, navane, sajje, horse gram, sugar cane, gingelly, togari, avare and khurasani.
In Koppa—Paddy, sugar cane, coffee, areca and cardamom.
In Mudgere—Paddy, ragi, coffee, areca and cardamom.
In Yedahalli—Paddy, sugar cane, coffee, areca and cardamom.
In Sringeri—Paddy, areca and cardamom.

Crops sown.—Sugar cane, coriander and garlic in Chikmagalur and Bengal gram in Tarikere.

Crops harvested.—
In Chikmagalur—Chillies, castor and Doddi, paddy.
In Koppa and Yedahalli—Areca and cardamom.
In Mudgere—Cardamom.
In Sringeri—Areca.

10. Prospects of the season are good. Supply of food stuffs is sufficient.

11. Except for plague in certain villages of the Chikmagalur, Kadur and Tarikere Taluks, public health is generally good.

12. "Metre roga" is reported to have broken out among cattle in certain villages of Mudigere. In other taluks, they are reported to be healthy. Water and fodder are available.

CHITALDRUG.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Standing crops*, such as paddy, ragi, chillies, sesamum, castor, cotton, togari, horse gram, haraka, sajje, samé, navane, jola, sugar cane, avare, green gram, and black gram are reported to be in good condition.

Crops sown.—Jola in the Chitaldrug, Holalkere and Hosdurga Taluks; wheat in the Chitaldrug Taluk and the Harihar Sub-Taluk; Bengal gram in the Holalkere and Hosdurga Taluks and the Harihar Sub-Taluk.

Crops harvested.—Ragi in the Chitaldrug and Challakere Taluks—yield 8 annas; and navane and jola in the Molakalmuru Taluk—yield 8 annas.

10. Prospects of the season are good. Food stuffs are available.

11. Public health is generally good.

12. Cattle are healthy. Water and fodder are available.

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